MUSIC DEALERS

Representatives of Music Houses of Virginia and North Carolina Meet.

IN HONOR OF MR. J. C. FREUND

Mr. J. G. Corley the Host-Mayor McCarthy Makes Witty

Richmond in the interest of the allied at Murphy's Hotel last night, given in honor of Mr. John C. Freund, of New York, editor of the Music Trades, by Mr. Corley, of this city, manager of The Cable Company's branches in Virhild for about forfy guests representing the dealers of Richmond, Norfolk, Petersburg and Newport News, Va., and the main business centers of North Carolina

main business centers of North Carolina. Mayor Cartton McCarthy welcomed the guests to the city of Richmond and in a witty speech, and told of his own experience as a plano salesman some twenty-five years ago. As the banquet was in the main intended to represent the growth of the music business in the city of Richmond, the State of Virginia and the South, the mayor brought forth many illustrations to show the immense importance of the plano and organ trade to the local community. Not only the benefit from a material standpoint to the people cugged in the business, but the conditions that these men have brought about, the means of placing in the hands of the average citizen musical instruments, and this having as its benefits the elevating of the finer senses of human intelligence and the schooling of the masses to the appreciation of the finer sentiments of life.

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Mr. J. G. Corley introduced the speaker of the evening. Hon. J. C. Freund, of New York. Mr. Freund prefaced his remarks by saying that he did not incend to eulogize the trade, but merely to devel upon its material benefits to general business condition and the include of music to amelionate the condition of the laboring classes who spend their days in constant totl from early morning to the late evening hours, with the rest or relaxation to vary the general motion of the laboring classes who spend he South, and explained that the South was now confronted with the problem of obtaining labor to do the work which was now confronted with the problem of obtaining labor to do the work which was now confronted with the problem of obtaining labor to do the work which was now confronted with the problem of obtaining labor to do the work which was now confronted with the problem of the Southern States.

He pointed out the fact that when the england on that is now flooding the great enters of the North became diverted by the natural trend of events to the Southern States, that this section of the country, and particularly the State of Cirginia, rich in natural resources, would witness an era of progress hardly reamed of by the average business man of this day. Mr. Freund paid a high ribute to the people of Richmond, to the right musical temperament of the Southern form that had enabled them to rise rom the ruin caused by the late war.

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The Guests.

Among the guests present were: Hon, ohn C. Freund, of New York, editor of the Music Trades; Mayor Carlton Mearthy, Mr. J. G. Corley, Professor Jacob cinhardt, Mr. B. Bernard Burton, of orfolk; L. Bethel, H. F. Allen, Jr., ad H. F. Newhouse, of Petersburg, Va.; McD. Genmell, of Newport News, Va.; D. Price, of Chaptotesville; A. W. handler, of Goldsboro, N. C.; W. B. ort, of Goldsboro; Messrs, G. W. Greener, John J. Reinhardt, Master Frank Corley, W. Sizer, W. R. Lyman, Walter S. ackson, C. L. Corley, L. B. Slaughter, H. Bishop, John C. Howlett, E. H. layfield and others.

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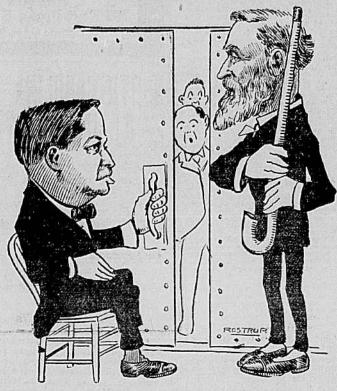
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SENATE ADOPTS

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During the two hours of talk over the insurance bill there were one or two echoes from the Upshur affairs. The bill provides for a new department under the commission and in the cause of a reference to the powers of the one with relation to the other. Mr. Shackelford took occasion to ask a pertinent question. "Is not the Corporation Commission adready dominated and domineered over by its clerks," inquired the Senator from Orange apropos of the point under review which has no further connection with the reports.

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Response to the query did not come until some time later when Judge Phlegar, of Montgomery, was on his feet opposing that feature of the bill which gave to the General Assembly the right to name the new insurance commission who is to work under the commission. "I wish to answer the recent question of the Senator from Orange," said Judge Phlegar, "Yos, the commission is domineered over by its clerks or at least by one of them. And if this has been the experience in the past, what on earth is going to happen when the right of appointment and removal is taken away from the commission."

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Under the rules the chair was to be vacated at 2 P. M. Immediately after the vote on the insurance bill, Mr. Walker, of Northumherland, proposed that the adjournment be postponed twenty minutes for the purpose of taking up and disposing of the Corporation Commission reports. Objection was at office made, and it was suggested that the matter go over for consideration immediately upon the reconvening of the Senate at 4 P. M. This was satisfactory disposing of the Corporation Commission reports. Objection was a torse make the president at 2.9 P. M. declared that the reconvening of the conservative business methods of this reliable old Quaker company are now advocated by the insurance investigating committee.

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eration of Senate bills on their second reading. The reports could be passed upon at any time. He thought the two hours should be devoted exclusively to the per-

tried to force Judge Taverner to agree to or to flatly refuse to accept a suggestion that the matter be made a special order for to-day at 11 A. M. The Shenandoath senator said the reports could be taken and at the senate could be taken up at any time and the Senate could best decide to-day from the condition of the calendar whether or not it would enter upon a consideration of the reports at that time. Saturday, the last day of the session, would not, he thought, be too late. Judge Taverner's motion to pass by was read after the call for the pending question. An aye and no vote was demanded and the pending question was ordered, as follows;

Ayes-Messrs. Anderson, Chapman, Gunter, Harman, Holt, Keezell, Lassiter, Lym, Machen, Niemeyer, Patterson, Phiegar, Roberts, Sears, Shackelford, Noes-Messrs, Campbell, Dickenson, Echols, Garrett, Kerns, Mann, Rison, Sadler, Sale, Sims, St. Clair, Taverner, H. T. Wickham and T. A. Wickham-14.

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"I now move that the miniority report be adopted as a substitute for the report of the committee," said General Anderson. "I think this will dispose of this matter in a manner satisfactory to the majority of this Senate and the people of Virginia."

There was no debate. The roll was again called and the minority report was adopted by a vote of 20 to 5. The division was as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Anderson, Campbell, Chapman, Echols, Fulton, Gunter, Harman, Hobbs, Holt, Keezell, Kerns, Lassiter, Lincoln, Lynn, Machen, Mann, Nomeyer, Patterson, Phiegar, Rison, Roberts, Sec. Shackelford, Shands, St. Clair, Strode, Thomas, Walker, H. T. Wickham—29.

Noes-Messrs, Sadler, Sale, Sims.

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The members of the Richmond Cham-r of Commerce are active in their cking of Judge Crump, and, while the amber will not take official action in e matter, its influence will be strongly

udge Crump received on yesterday following telegram from Lynchburg; Lynchburg, Va., March 8, 1906. h. Beverley T. Crump, Richmond, Va.: the undersigned members of the subburg bar desire to express their baken confidence in your personal and clai integrity and in your jeffolency a member of the State Corporation nunlssion:

CONFIDENCE IN CRUMP.

Lynchburg Bar Telegraphs Their Sentiment in His Case.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LVNCHBURG, VA., March 8.—The members of the Lynchburg bar this afternoon telegraphed Judge Beverley Crump an expression of their confidence in his personal and official integrity, and expressing themselves as believing he is still thoroughly competent in all respects to remain as a member of the State Corporation Commission, despite the censure placed upon him by the Investigating Committee of the Legislature.

The paper was circulated by J Tinsley Coleman, who was associated with the defense of J. Samuel McCue, who was hanged at Charlottesville, and it was signed by all of the attorneys seen.

Comments on Judge Crump.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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(NORFOLK, VA., March S.—A suggestion was made to-day that a meeting of the Norfolk and Portsmouth Bar Issociation might be called to take similar action as that taken by the Richmond Bar Association last night when it endorsed and sustained Judge B. T. Crump and called upon high not to resign as head of the State Corporation Commission, there has been no call for a meeting of the local association and several lawyers express the opinion that there may be no call at all. Some Norfolk lawyers, however, give personal endorsement to Judge Crump and declare that he should to tresign, Others say he should resign, and still others decline to discuss the subject for publication.

HON. B. T. GORDON

Mr. Coleman spoke briefly for Mr. Leidy, Mr. Early spoke for Mr. Haas and Mr. M. M. Johnson for Mr. Leidy, Col. seconded Mr. Haas, as did Dr that there was about to be a discussion of this matter between Messrs. Fulton and Keezell. "They are both good orators," said the senator, "but sometimes they become thresome." The chair ruled the point out, and Mr. Fulton proceeded, but before he had reached his real subject, Mr. Shackelford got him off his feet on a point of order that his time had expired. Mr. Good seconded Mr. Haas, and the nominations were closed. had expired. Mr. Good seconded Mr. Haas, and the nominations were closed. Upon roll call, the vote stood, Haas 71, Leidy 37, and on motion of Mr. Fulton, the nomination of Mr. Haas was made unanimous.

Mr. Gordon Named

When the Twenty-ninth Circuit was Honorable B. T. Gordon, of that county

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Senator Thomas and Mr. Ould spoke for Mr. Gordon, as did Senator Walker and Mr. Byrd and Mr. Jennings.

Presents Pettit's Name. Presents Pettit's Name.

Senator Patteson nominated Mr. Paul Pettit, of Filvanna, in an eloquent speech which provoked applause. The speaker sald his candidate would make an ideal judge, and that he had his people behind him and a strong backing at the bar. He said Mr. Pettit had opposed him, for the nomination, and no man ever had a more generous or chivalrous competitor. Senator Lassiter seconded Mr. Pettit, as did Mr. W. W. Old, Jr., of Norfolk. Senator Keezell spoke briefly for Mr. Gordon, and Dr. Snead seconded Mr. Pettit, Mr. Haley seconded the Fluvanna man, and Mr. McRae named Hon, E. W. Hubard.

THE PREMIERSHIP

President Falliers Refused to Accept His Decision As Final.

BOURGEOIS BEEN SUGGESTED

Will Accept Foreign Portfolio if Sarrien Will Take Reins

(By Associated Press.)

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PARIS, March 8.—President Fallieres's efforts to induce one or other of the several statesmen with whom he conferred to-day to undertake the task of forming a cabinet have not yet borne result. M. Sarrien, who declined either the premiership or a portfolio, suggested M. Bourgeois, however, declared that he did not feel physically strong enough to undertake the premiership, but would consent to accept the foreign portfolio under M. Sarrien, whom he thought the best fitted to take the reins of power. President Fallieres refused to accept the decision of either M. Bourgeois or M. Sarrien as final.

A strong reaction has set in in favor of M. Rouvier. The newspapers to-day severely criticise the action of the Chamber of Deputies in defeating him when he was performing a patriotic duty, which promised to produce the most notable diplomatic success of recent years. It has now become quite evident that France will not waver in her policy in the conference at Algeeiras.

MOYER TELLS HIS STORY ABOUT STEUNENBURG

BOISE, IDAHO, March S.—President Charles Moyer, Secretary William Heywood and Committeeman George Pettibone, of the Western Federation of Miners, to-day filed their answers in the Supreme Court to the return mide by Warden Whitney, of the penitentiary, in the habeas corpus praceedings, Moyer's answer says he was not in Caldwell at the time of the assassination of Frank Steumenberg, that Governor Gooding, County Attorneys Hawley and Van Duyn conspired to secure his arrest and removal from Colorado in violation of the Constitution and the statute of Congress on extradition; that Hawley went to

ASK FOR OPNION AS TO RE-COUNTING BALLOTS

(By Associated Press.)

ALBANY, N. Y., March S.—The assembly to-day adopted a resolution calling on the State Attorney-General for information as to whether, in his opinion, in proceedings brought under a certain section of the election law, the ballots cast at the mayoralty election in New York city last November can be recounted. The Attorney-General also is asked whether William R. Hearst, the municipal ownership candidate, or any candidate on that ticket, has made complaint to him or request that he begin such action. The adoption of fine resolution is generally regarded as indicating that none of the so-called Hearst investigation propositions as affecting the New York election will be passed.

THIS RACE RIOT IS SAID TO BE LIVELY

race riot occurred last night, between negroes and Hungarians employed in the negroes and Hungarians employed in the coal mine at Ziegler, and several com-batants on both sides received injuries, but no deaths have been reported. It is said that the riot resulted from ill-feeling that has been brewing for some time between the two classes over labor differences. Guns, knives, razors and clubs were brought into play, but finally

Reported By Wireless.

(By Associated Press,)
NEWPORT, R. I., March S.—Lights
alp No. 66 reported herself by wireless
a having arrived at the Nanticket South

relieve No. 71, which has been on the station while No. 66 has been undergoing repairs.

No. 71 will leave direct for Portsmouth, Va., and after a short stay there will resume her place on the Cape Hatteras station,

Conference With President.

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(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 8.—II. H. Rogers and John D. Archbold, of New Yolk.

vice-president of the Standard Oil Company, were in conference with President Roosevelt at the White House tonight. Neither of them would signife the
nature of their call. They arrived in

Washington early this evening and expect to leave here to-morrow.



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in New York.

(By Associated Press.)
ALBANY, N. Y., March S. Re Presentatives of life insurance interests throughout the United States, are assembling out the United States, are assembling in this city to-night to participate to-morrow in the hearing to be given before the special legislative insurance investigating committee, on the measures proposed to perfect the State insurance law, to correct evils in company management discretely in the recent limits. law, to correct evils in company management discovered in the recent inquiry, and to better protect the policyholders. Officers, attorneys, actuaries and committees representing companies which will be effected by the pending legislation, and representatives of organizations of life insurance underwriters, are here and their number will be greatly here, and their number will be greatly augumented to-morrow by the present of at least one thousand active insurance

WHOLESALE LUMBER MEN

U.S. CUASI SUVADION

(By Associated Press.)

PENSACOLA, F.LA., March 8.—The
Coast squadron, which was to have safed
this afternoon to join the North Atlantic
squadron, has been ordered to await that
squadron here, and it is reliably reported
that the North Atlantic squadron will
shortly arrive at this place, and will have
its annual target practice and manocures
here instead of off the south side of Cuba,
as had been previously ordered. The vessels and all taken on coal and provisions
and had gotten up steam preparatory to
leaving when the change of orders came.

Count Rufus Wins.

COURT RITUS WIRS.

WARWICK, ENGLAND, March 8.—
Craig Wadsworth, second secretary of
the American embassy, just missed winning the rich national hunt steeplechase,
valued at \$5.000, and run here ta-day. His
Portlight II, made a game race, but only
secured second place, being defeated by
an outsider Count Rufus.

Gompers and Mitchell.

OR Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March S.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to-day had an interview with John Mitchell, needled of the United Mine Workers of America, They also cussed the negotiations now pending between the hard and soft conference Mr. Gompers see that he had promised Mr. Mitchell, all the support possible which the American Federation of Labor can afford sim.

JARMS SMUGGLED FOR CHINA ARMY

San Francisco Merchants Said to Be Profiting By Pending Campaign.

(By Associated Press.)

aminer to-day says:
Twenty-two modern rifles and 10,000 crew on the Pacific mail steamer Man-

MEET IN WASHINGTON MUTINY ON BOARD;

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(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March S.—The delegates to the convention of the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' Association, in session here to-day, called at the White House and were received by the President, who made an address, urging them to make the fullest use of the government's forest service. Considerable attention was given during to-day's session of the lumber dealers to the countro-versy between the association and the railroads, growing out of the lattice's requirement that slippers furnish stakes for flat cars when located, to hold lumber in place, and also that freight must be paid on these stakes.

Arrangements have been made for a conference here to-morrow between the shippers and the railroad €epresentalives with a view to reaching an adjustment of their differences.

All the present officers were re-elected, and several additional trustees, including: R. H. Downing. New Oricans, and R. H. Cohn, Norfolk, Va.

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MILL OPERATIVES TO HAVE WAGES INCREASED

(By Associated Press.)

LAWRENCE, MASS., March 8.—Noticea were posted in all departments of the excensive Pacific Cotton Mills here to-day announcing that on Monday, March 19th, an advance in wages will be given. The Pacific Mills, which are among the largest in the world, employ nearly 6,600 operatives. The rate of the proposed increased is not stated in the notices. The alvance will be greater in some departments that in others, but it is expected if will averness nearly 10 per school goes into effect the temper of mill operatives in Lawrence who have had their pay raised this year will reach 17,000.

Susan Anthony is Easy.

(By Associated Press.)

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 8-Miss
Susan B. Anthony is resting very comfortably to-night, but is extremely weak.
This weakness is the one unfavorable
symptom about her condition that causeher friends anxiety.